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In re Application of:

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Residual Error Handling in a CAN Network

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JULY 28, 2004

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 14 of this paper.